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In re Application of

Masayoshi ABE et al.

Serial No.: 10/025,998

Filed: December 26, 2001

For: OPTICAL DISK CONTROL DEVICE

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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated January 29, 2002, applicants' representatives filed all the requested documents with the USPTO on January 30, 2002. Attached hereto are photocopies of applicants' representatives' postcard receipt, Submission of Original Executed Declaration with executed Declaration and the PTO's copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts. Also attached hereto are photocopies of applicants' representatives' postcard receipt and Preliminary Amendment amending claims to eliminate multiply dependency.

The PTO is requested to telephone the undersigned should they have any questions regarding this submission.

Respectfully submitted,

PARKHURST & WENDEL, L.L.P.



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February 27, 2002

Date

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Attorney Docket No.: HYAE:130

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 370 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$140.
 - \$140 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 575.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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Title (new cases):

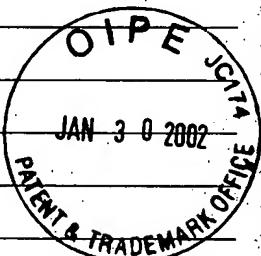
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Description: (1-14), 1p abstract, 13shts fml drwgs (Figs 1-13), Prel Amdt w/2pp mk-ups, and Clm Prty w/1CC
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Sir:

The above-identified application was duly filed on December 26, 2001 without an executed Declaration. Accordingly, submitted herewith is a fully executed Declaration of the inventors. Attached is our check for \$130.00 to cover the payment of the fee in accordance with 37 CFR 1.16(e). Our check includes \$40.00 to cover the payment for recording the executed Assignment. Also included in our check is the full filing fee for this application.

Entry of these documents should complete all of the filing formalities. Accordingly examination and allowance of the application in due course are respectfully solicited.

All correspondence should be sent to applicants' representative at the address indicated below.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 16-0331. Two duplicate copies of this letter are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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January 30, 2002

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Please substitute the attached Thirteen (13) sheets of formal drawings depicting Figures 1-13 for Figures 1-13 originally filed with the application.

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